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PATENT

Docket No. MTI-31041

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Ping, et al. Group Art Unit: 2812  
 Serial No. : 09/816,962 Examiner : A. Roman  
 Filing Date : March 23, 2001 Confirmation No. : 8677  
 For: Method For Forming Raised Structures by Controlled Selective Epitaxial Growth  
 of Facet Using Spacer

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a) and 1.10**

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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS****PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.313(c)(2) and 1.114**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions withdrawal of the above-referenced application from issue pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.313(c)(2). The issue fee (due May 7, 2003) was paid on April 23, 2003.

A Notice of Issue was received indicating the issue date as **June 14, 2005** as **US Patent No. 6,905,933**.

This petition is being made to permit reopening of prosecution for the Examiner to consider references that were cited in a related application but not cited in the present application. Applicant submits herewith a Request for Continued Examination in compliance with § 1.114.

Please charge the Petition fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(h) and the RCE fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(e) to deposit account No. 23-2053. The Applicant is a large entity.

The consideration and grant of this petition is earnestly requested.

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